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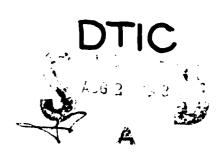
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The object of this study is to develop design, performance, and test specifications for the Miniature Cathode Ray Tube (CRT) assembly suitable for use in the Integrated Helmet and Display Sight System (IHADSS) of the Army Advanced Attack Helicopter (AAH).

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ABSTRACT/SUMMARY

TEI corrected two out-of-spec parameters (detected in the CRT assemblies being processed in preparation for Phase II - Confirmatory Samples) by making minor adjustments to its processing and inspection procedures. The updated ATP and QTP were filed in the Word Processor store and were ready to become the basis of several CDRL items when required. Contract Line Item A003, "Drawings, Engineering, and Associated Lists," was submitted in draft form to the COR. Process Specifications were being refined for incorporation into Contract Line Item A002, "Type D, Specifications".

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1.0 PURPOSE

The purpose of this Manufacturing Methods and Technology

(MM&T) contract is to establish production methods and

facilities required to produce the Miniature Cathode Ray Tube

Assembly required for the Integrated Helmet and Display

Sight System (IHADSS) of the Army Advanced Attack Helicopter (AAH).

The primary objectives are to develop vendor sources for the required individual components and establish viable production techniques to meet the necessary monthly production rate.

The product produced will be required to meet the mechanical, electrical, performance, and environmental parameters of MM&T H799838.

2.0 GLOSSARY

AAH	Advanced Attack Helicopter
ATP	Acceptance Test Procedure
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CDRL	Contract Data Requirements List
COR	Contracting Officer's Representative
CRT	Cathode Ray Tube
EM	Equipment Manufacturer
IHADSS	Integrated Helmet and Display Sight System
MERADCOM	Mobility Equipment Research and Development Command
MM&T	Manufacturing Methods and Technology
MOD	Modification (to Contract)
NV&EOL	Night Vision & Electro- Optics Laboratory
PCO	Procuring Contracting Officer
PERT	Program Evaluation and Review Techniques
QTP	Qualification Test Procedure
TEI	Thomas Electronics, Inc.
TIR	Total Indicated Range

3.0 NARRATIVE AND DATA

CRT assemblies which were in process, in preparation for Phase II - Confirmatory Samples, were found to be out of spec in two parameters, but minor adjustments resolved each problem.

- Cutoff readings were on the high side. Production
 was stopped and a minor spacing change was made on
 subsequent mounts. This brought the cutoff reading
 within spec.
- 2. Screen blemish criteria were not met because of the lacquering operation. Screen inspection procedures that were instituted, prior to sealing, will significantly reduce the risk of CRT blemish rejects.

TEI's second Burn-In Console became operational. The 1" Test Console was modified to facilitate performing the Geometric Distortion (Linearity) Test with the Ball Chart.

TEI's Acceptance Test Procedures (ATP) and Qualification Test Procedures (QTP) were updated in final form and were completely incorporated in a Word Processor store. As discussed with the COR, the ATP and QTP will become the basis of several items on the Contract Data Requirements List (CDRL).

Contract Line Item A003, "Drawings, Engineering, and Associated Lists" was prepared, and draft copies were readied for submission to MERADCOM.

4.0 CONCLUSIONS

- TEI corrected two out-of-spec parameters (detected in the CRT assemblies being processed in preparation for Phase II - Confirmatory Samples) by making minor adjustments to its processing and inspection procedures.
- 2. The updated ATP and QTP were filed in the Word Processor store and were ready to become the basis of several CDRL items when required.
- 3. Contract Line Item A003, "Drawings, Engineering, and Associated Lists," was submitted in draft form to the COR. Process Specifications were being refined for incorporation into Contract Line Item A002, "Type D, Specifications".

5.0 PROGRAM FOR NEXT INTERVAL

For the next quarter, TEI's plans are as follows:

- Fabricate and test CRT assemblies for Phase II -Confirmatory Samples.
- 2. Maintain detailed test records for compiling into technical data items required by the contract.
- 3. Prepare and submit monthly status reports and also the draft and final quarterly reports.

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